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Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-captioned application.

- ___ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously filed.
___ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
___ An Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449, and references cited.
___ No additional fee is required.

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Multiple Dependent Claims Presented			+140=	\$	+280=	\$ 0.00
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

Prior to an examination of the above-identified patent application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the claims, as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel claims 1-18 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter.

The following claims are submitted for consideration by the Examiner:

--- 19. A communication apparatus connected to a terminal apparatus via a network, the communication apparatus comprising:

an e-mail transmitter that performs an e-mail transmission to a destination;

a file generator that generates a communication result file that includes a communication result of the e-mail transmission performed by said e-mail transmitter;

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